



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **YAMADA, Youichi, et al.**

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Examiner: **Hoa T. NGUYEN**

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For: **INFORMATION PROCESSING UNIT, INFORMATION PROCESSING METHOD, PROGRAM FOR THE SAME, RECORDING MEDIUM FOR RECORDING THE PROGRAM THEREIN, AND REPRODUCING UNIT**

**SECOND REQUEST FOR STATUS**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Date: March 21, 2006

Sir:

The undersigned attorney requests the status of the above-identified application.

A Notice To File Missing Parts of Application dated **November 26, 2003** was received, and a Response was filed on **December 17, 2003**. To date no Office Action has been received.

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Respectfully submitted,

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